Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 12/18/2022

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 12/17/2022   **Time: 9:11PM**

Location of Offense/Incident: 8oo block of Wedgewood Ave.   **Zone: 3**   **Precinct: 10**

Incident Report #: 220919105   **Cruiser District: 102**

Victim: Suleeman Abdi (Deceased)	Sex: Male	Race: Black	Age: 25
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Suspect: **Address:**

☐ **Arrested**   ☐ **Warrant on File**   **Sex:**   **Race:**   **Age:**

Charges:

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Incident Summary:
On Saturday, December 17, 2022, at 9:11PM, Columbus Police Officers were called to the 800 block of Wedgewood Dr. on a report of a shooting. On arrival, officers found 25-year-old Suleeman Abdi suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. Franklin Township Medic 192 transported Abdi to Grant Medical Center in critical condition, where he was pronounced deceased at 9:48PM.

Abdi was arguing with an unidentified male inside one of the apartment buildings in the 800 block of Wedgewood Dr. During the argument, this unidentified male produced a handgun and fired several shots, fatally wounding Abdi. Following the shooting the unidentified male fled the scene.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Huffman is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Kelley.

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